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All claims are allowable. However due to a potential interference, ex parte prosecution is **SUSPENDED** for a period of **SIX (6) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS LETTER** pending initiation of an interference proceeding, if appropriate. Upon expiration of the period of suspension, application should make an inquiry as to the status of the application.

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